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STOCKS AT THE LOWEST

SPECIALTIES AND INDUSTRIALS WERE BADLY DEMORALIZED.

American Ice and Consolidated Gas the Exceptions-Railroads Firm -Active Local Business.

At New York yesterday money on call

2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3%@4% per cent. Sterling exchange was steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.881/8@ \$4.8814 for demand and \$4.8414@4.8476 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.85@4.85\\ and \$4.89@ \$4.891/2; commercial bills, \$4.84@4.841/2.

Silver certificates were 60@601/2c; bar silver, 60c; Mexican dollars, 471/2c. At London

bar silver was 27 9-16d an ounce. Operations in the stock market continued to be left largely to professional hands yesterday. The movement was exceedingly irregular and confused all day. Generally speaking, it could be fairly said that railroad stocks were firm to strong, while the industrials were weak. This distinction was obvious at the opening of the market, and the day's trading tended rather to emphasize it, except that the demoralizing tendencies in the steel industrials ultimately affected the whole list and dragged back even the strongest of the railroads. There was a brief show of strength after the opening by Federal Steel and Steel and Wire, probably on covering of shorts sold in Monday's break, but in the late trading stocks, as well as others of the group, fell to the lowest in the present ment. The extreme declines ranged all the way from 1 to nearly 6 points, the latter Tennessee Coal. The declaration of National Tube and the reports of the conforming of sundry mills had no effect in checking the decline. Among the notable exceptions to the weakness in the industrial department were the group of New York city stocks, including American Ice. Consolidated Gas led in the rise of 5 points, and the local tractions responded. A meeting of directors of the American Sugar Refining Company caused an uneasy demand from the shorts, which lifted the stock at one time 24. In the railroad list Burling-

bound. There was said to be large buying for account of an outstanding short interst in the West in the railroad list. The international department was helped by ome buying for London account, where the prices rose on encouraging war news The statement of the April foreign trade of the United States, disclosing a maintepance of extraordinarily favorable conditions, have elevated, somewhat, evidences of renewed activity in interior trade. The market closed heavy and unsettled by the break in the steel industrials, the railroad stocks holding only a part of their gains. The bond market was not active, but prices were well sustained. Total sales at par value were \$1,075,000. United States rerunding twos, when issued, advanced 1/8 and the threes and new fours 14 in the bid

Following are the day's share sales and

the closing bid prices:

extreme advance of 1%, in spite of denials of the rumored refunding plan. The

granger group and Western railroad stocks

showed good advances in spite of reports

lining traffic, both east and west-

tchison Canadian Pacific anada Southern Chicago, Burlington & Quincy.... 19,199 Chi., Ind. & Louisville...... 500 Chi., Ind. & Louisville............ 500 Chi., Ind. & Louisville pref...... Chicago & Eastern Illinois...... Chicago & Northwestern .. Southern first pref..... lorado Southern second pref Del., Lack & Western..... Denver & Rio Grande..... nver & Rio Grande pref...... locking Valley owa Central cwa Central pref Kansas City. Pittsburg & Gulf... ake Erie & Western pref......

olitan Street-rallway 11.890 olis & St. Louis pref..... oile & Ohio ... Kansas & Texas... Kansas & Texas pref... Jersey Central..... York Central..... 21,322 orfolk & Western pref... orthern Pacific pref ... ntario & Western .. egon Ry. & Nav. pref..... 3,720 tending first pref. Louis & San Fran..... & San Fran. first pref..... & San Fran. second pref... ouis Southwestern ... Scuthern Railway Texas & Pacific..... Pacific Pacific pref...... 31,506 Theeling & Lake Erie 1,675 & L. E. second pref..... 500 450 onsin Central EXPRESS COMPANIES. MISCELLANEOUS.

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Tobacco pref. Brooklyn Rapid Transit. Colorado Fuel and Iron. Continental Tobacco pref. Federal Steel rederal Steel pref. General National Biscuit National National Lead pref National Steel New York Air-brake. Pacific Coast first pref. Pacific Coast second pref..... Pacific Mail 'eople's Gas ressed Steel Car .. Pressed Steel Car pref..... Pullman Palace Car... Republic Iron and Ste Republic Iron and Ste

United States Leather pref. States Rubber ... United States Rubber pref UNITED STATES BONDS. United States twos, refunding, when is-

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ssee Coal and Iron.

Tuesday's Bank Clearings.

States new fours, reg.....

United States new fours, coup...... United States old fours, reg...... United States old fours, coup.....

At New York-Exchanges, \$203,236,079; balances, \$8,822,271. At Boston-Clearings, \$18,065,252; balances, At Chicago-Clearings, \$22,732,148; balances, \$2,453,138 At Philadelphia-Clearings, \$17,350,080; balances, \$3,282,418. At St. Louis-Clearings, \$6,157,549; balances, \$752,980. At Baltimore-Clearings, \$4,401,762; balances, \$629,389. At Cincinnati-Clearings, \$2,233,250.

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Trade Active Yesterday and Prices, as

a Rule, Firm and Steady. dianapolis markets were in the city yesterday. changes and no important ones. Linseed oil, which advanced 3 cents a gallon Monday, was steadler in tone yesterday, but in all lines handled by druggists prices have an advancing prices seemingly having passed off. The hide easier tone. The flour market is taking on a choice butter are firm and in good request. Eggs

The local grain market is dull, receipts being light. All cereals meet with ready sale on track at the following range of prices, as furnished by the secretary of the Board of Trade: Wheat—No. 2 red. 71c; track. 71c on milling freight; No. 3 red. 67@79c; May, 71c, track; Wagon wheat, 71c.

Corn-No. 1 white, 39½c; No. 2 white, 39½c; No. 3 white, 39½c; No. 4 white, 36½@38½c; No. 2 white mixed, 39c; No. 3 white mixed, 39c; No. 4 white mixed, 36@38c; No. 2 yellow, 39c; No. 3 yellow, 39c; No. 4 yellow, 36@38c; No. 2 mixed, 39c; No. 3 mixed, 39c; No. 4 mixed, 36@38c; ear corn, 42½c.
Oats-No. 2 white, 27c; No. 3 white, 26c; No. 2 mixed, 25c; No. 3 mixed, 24c.
Hay-No. 1 timothy, \$13@14; No. 2 timothy, Inspections—Wheat: No. 3 red, 3 cars; No. 4 red, 2; total, 5 cars. Corn: No. 1 white, 1 car; No. 2 white, 3; No. 3 white, 8; ear, 2; total, 14 cars. Hay: No. 2 timothy, 2 cars.

Poultry and Other Produce. (Prices paid by shippers.)

Turkeys, hens, 8c per lb; toms, 5c; hens, 7c; cocks, 4c; ducks, full feathered, 7c; geese, full feathered, 34.80 per doz.

Cheese—New York full creams, 15c; domestic Swiss, 15@16c; brick, 14c; limburger, 14c.

Butter—Choice, roll, 12@14c per lb; poor, No. 2, Feathers-Prime geese, 30c per lb; prime duck Beeswax—30c for yellow; 25c for dark.

Wool—Medium, unwashed, 21@23c; tub-washed
31@33c; burry and unmerchantable, 5c less; fine

ton continued in good demand and at an HIDES, TALLOW, ETC. Green-salted Hides—No. 1, 8½c; No. 2, 7½c; No. 1 calf, 10½c; No. 2 calf, 9c. Grease—White, 4c; yellow, 3½c; brown, 2½c. Tallow—No. 1, 4½c; No. 2, 4c. were most benefited, in sympathy, and THE JOBBING TRADE.

> (The quotations given below are the selling prices of the wholesale dealers.) Produce, Fruits and Vegetables.

Apples—Russets, \$4.75 per brl.
Bananas—Per bunch, No. 1, \$1.50@1.75.
Oranges—California navel, \$3.75; seedlings, \$3.25.
Lemons—Messina, choice, 360 to box, \$4; fancy,
200 to box, \$4.25; California lemons, \$3.75.
Cocoanuts—50c per doz.
Potatoes—45 per bu; \$1.50 per brl.
Cucumbers—\$1 per doz.
Cabbage—New, \$3.50 per crate.
New Onions—\$1.50 per bu.
Honey—New white, 17c per lb; dark, 16c. New Onions-\$1.50 per bu.

Honey-New white, 17c per lb; dark, 16c.
Cauliflower-\$2 per doz.
Onions (Bermuda)-\$2@2.25 per crate.
Peas-\$1.50@1.75 per bu.
Green or Wax Beans-\$2.50 per bu.
Kale-\$1.25 per brl.
Lettuce-10c per lb. Kale—\$1.25 per brl.
Lettuce—10c per lb.
Green Onions—25c per four doz bunches.
Rhubarb—10c per doz bunches.
Radishes—15c per doz bunches.
Asparagus—15c per doz bunches.
Pineapples—\$1.25@2.75 per doz.
Strawberries—24-qt crate, \$2.25@2.75.
Florida Tomatoes—\$3.75@4 per 6-basket crate;
Mexican, 7-basket, \$3@3.25.

Provisions.

Bacon-Clear sides, 50 to 60 lbs average, 8%c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 9c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 9%c; bellies, 25 to 30 lbs average, 8%c; 18 to 22 lbs average, 9%c; 14 to 16 lbs average, 9%c; clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 8%c; 12 to 16 lbs average, 9%c; clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 8%c; 12 to 16 lbs average, erage, 8%c; 6 to 9 lbs average, 8%c. In dry-salt %c less.

Hams—Sugar cured, 18 to 20 lbs average, 11% @11%c; 15 lbs average, 11%@12c; 12 lbs average, Lard—Kettle rendered, 9c; pure lard, 8%c.
Pork—Bean, clear, \$16.50; rump, \$14.50.
Shoulders—16 lbs average, 8½c; 10 to 12 lbs av-

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

Seventeen Transfers, with a Total

Consideration of \$49,600. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m. May 15, 1900, as furnished by the Indiana Title Guaranty and Loan Company, Suite 229, first office floor, The Lemcke and Hartford block. Telephone 1760 old and 3005 new: Robert W. White to James S. Merrill, part of southeast half of Section 2.

.Lot 83, W. H. Morrison's second ad-Star Savings and Loan Association to John B. Poirier, Lot 359, McCarty's ninth West Side..... Louisa M. Hereth to George T. Porter, part of Lots 3 and 4, Square 64, Francis Smith's subdivision Emery Albertson to William A. Dwyer, Lot 32, Moesch's third ad-Malora Dye to George Hollins, jr., Lot 61, Clark's third West Side.... Clara V. Bowlus to Stephen T. Hitz, Lot 17, Square 12, second section Lincoln Park Addison H. Nordyke to Stephen T. Hitz, Lots 2, 3, 4 and 11, Square 2, Nordyke & H.'s Grand View

Addison H. Nordyke et al. to Stephen T. Hitz, Lot 21, Square 3, Nordyke & H.'s Grand View..... Sylvester Johnson to Ernestina J. Merz, Lot 39, Julian et al.'s addition to Irvington Walter J. Bradshaw to John M. Judah, Lot 7 and part of 6. McElvaine et al.'s subdivision of Outlot Mary S. Judah to Walter J. Bradshaw, Lot 87, Clark & Osgood's first West Indianapolis...... 1,500

John B. Ittenbach to Edward F. Dux, Lot 33, Fletcher et al.'s subdivision of Outlot 94, etc..... Harriet P. Prier to Thomas Dow, Lot 9. Pearson's North Meridian street.. 6.500 Alexander O. Topp et al. to Frederick Topp, part of cast half of northwest quarter of Section 24, Township 16,

Mary A. Tool to Eliza Hinesley, Lot 7, A. C. Wright's Woodside. Eliza Hinesley to Samuel Toole, Lot 7, A. C. Wright's Woodside...... 1,000

CORN ON THE TOBOGGAN

GOOD PLANTING WEATHER SENT IT DOWN NEARLY A CENT.

Wheat Slightly Lower, but Holding Firm-Oats in the Same Shape-Provisions Active and Higher.

CHICAGO, May 15 .- On firm cables, dry weather in the Northwest and possibly too much moisture Southwest, wheat was firm though dull to-day. July closed a shade under yesterday. Corn closed weak, July ic down, and oats steady, July a shade lower. Provisions closed firm and slightly improved in price.

Wheat opened easy, July 1/3c lower at 661/6661/4c. Rains in the Southwest were the burden of reports which caused bearish feeling then, as it was figured out that the rain would cause a high rate of mortality among the crop damaging chinch bugs. While these reports were still uppermost in the minds of traders-and they had plenty of time to think about it, as trade was very dull-July eased off to 66c. It did not get any lower. One Kansas report said that too much rain had fallen, whereat the market steadied and traders recollected that Liverpool cables were also in favor of a better wheat price. Then reports from the Northwest began coming in, complaining because no rain had fallen and objecting to the weather map which offered no relief. July accordingly became more valuable in the eyes of the speculators and advanced to 661/2c. On the bulge profit-taking formed the amusement of some, and sympathy with the corn weakness had its effect, July easing off. The close was firm, July a shade under yesterday at 66%c. Primary receipts were 330,000 bu compared with 324,000 last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 784 cars, against 305 last week and 229 a year ago. Local receipts were 62 cars, one of contract grade. Atlantic port clearances, in wheat and flour, were equal to 350,000 bu.

chief sufferer in price on the board. The excellent growing weather reported from nearly every section of the belt was too much for the market, and at closing figures, while the close showed only a slight recovery. Liverpool was decidedly lower, which also had a depressing effect. Following the opening the market made a little attempt to stay under the leadership of wheat, but it was a feeble effort. The nearness of the planting season gave rise to fears that farmers' deliveries of old corn would soon show marked increase. Nebraska reports predicted that the planting in that State would be completed this week. The shipping demand was indifferent. Local receipts were 290 cars and country offerings small. July sold between 371/6371/4c, closing weak, %c under yesterday at 361/2c.

Trade in the oats pit was light, but a Receipts, were sold here to-day. 247 cars. July sold between 21% @22c, clos- ter dull at 4.45@4.50c. ing a shade under yesterday at 21%@22c. Provisions were quiet but firm the greater part of the day, with some added activity and strength at the end. Liverpool was higher for hog products, hog receipts were under the estimate, and prices at the yards were firm. July pork sold between \$11.60@11.70, and closed 5c higher at \$11.67½; July lard between \$6.92½ to \$6.95@6.97½, closing 7½c higher at \$6.95@6.97½, and July ribs between \$6.60@6.65, with the close 2½c

and 5c up at \$6.65. Estimated receipts to-morrow: Wheat, 22 cars; corn, 160 cars; oats, 115 cars; hogs,

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Leading f	utures 1	ranged a	s follov	vs:
Articles.	Open-	High-	Low-	Clos
Wheat-		est.	est.	ing
May 64	34	651/8	64%	64%
		661/2	66	661/4
Corn				
May - 36	-361/6	36 -361/6	35%-35%	
July 36	76-37	371/6	361/4	361/2
Sept 37	3/4	37%-37%	371/6	371/4
Oats-				
		21%	21%	21%
June 21	%	21%	21%	21%
	%	22	21%	21%-22
Pork-	2000			
July .\$11.62	1/2 \$11.	70 \$11	.60 \$1	1.671/2
Lard-	AND IN PLAN			
July 6.92 Sept 6.92	14 6.	971/2 6	.921/2	6.971/2
Sept 6.92	1/2 6.	971/2 6	.921/2	6.971/2
Ribs-			44	
July 6.60	6.	65 6	.60	6.65
Sept 6.62	1/2 6.	65 6	.621/2	6.65
Cash quota	tions we	re as fol	lows: F	lour slow
and easy. N	o. 3 spr	ng whea	t. 64@641	6c: No.
red, 70%@71c.	No. 2 (orn. 36c:	No. 2 ve	llow. 36c
No. 2 oats,	22% @23c	No. 3	white. 2	434 @2514c
No. 2 rye, 53	4c. Goo	d feeding	barley.	3714c fat
to choice ma	lting 39	042c No	1 flaxs	ed \$1.80
No. 1 North	vestern.	\$1 80. Pr	me time	thy seed
\$2.45. Clover	seed.	contract	grade.	\$7. Mess
pork, per bi	1. \$10.50	@11.60. L	ard. per	100 lbs
\$6.80@6.95. SI	ort-rib	sides (loose).	\$6.50@6.70
Dry-salted sl	houlders	(boxed)	\$6 50606 7	5 Short
clear sides (t	oxed). \$	7.05@7.15	Whisky	on basis
of high wines	\$1.25.			
Receipts-F	lour. 74	000 bris.	wheat	24.000 hm
corn. 165,000	bu: oats	210,000	bu: rve	5.000 bu
Receipts-F corn, 165,000 barley, 43,000	bu. Si	ipments	Flour.	23,000 bu
wheat 121 00	hu: co	rn 415.804	hu: on	te 165 00

bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 5,000 bu. AT NEW YORK.

Foreign News and Good Weather

Weakened the Cereals. NEW YORK, May 15 .- Flour-Receipts, 20,364 brls; exports, 12,004 brls. Entirely featureless, apart from a moderate demand for spring bakers. Winter patents, \$3.60@ | Chestnut street, inanition. 3.85; winter straights, \$3.40@3.65; Minnesota Division street, valvular lesion of heart. bakers, \$2.65@2.90. Rye firm. No. 2 Western, 61%c, f. o. b. afloat; state, 57@58c, c. i. f. New York, car lots. Barley steady;

feeding, 431/2045c, c. i. f. New York. Wheat-Receipts, 437,575 bu; exports, 39,957 bu. Spot steady. No. 2 red, 79c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2. red, 761/4c, elevator; No 1. Northern, 741/2c, f. o. b. affoat, to arrive; No 1 hard Duluth, 761/2c, f. o. b. afloat. Options opened easy, but were fairly well sustained all day in face of lower cables and favorable home crop news. Light offerings and scattered covering by short interests were the leading points of firmness, closing steady at a partial 1/401/4c net

decline. May, 70 5-16@701/2c, closed at 70%c; July, 71 9-16@72c, closed at 71%c; September, 711/2@72 13-16, closed at 72%c. Corn-Receipts, 292,500 bu; exports, 70,573 bu. Spot weak. No. 2 red, 414c, f. o. b. afloat, 41c elevator. Options easy on cables and on a temporary reaction with wheat experienced a weak afternoon under fine crop news and liquidation; closed weak at 1/40%c decline. May, 40%@41c, closed at 40%c; July 41%@42%c, closed at 42c; September, 421/4@42%c, closed at 42%c. Oats-Receipts, 128,000 bu. Spot dull. No. 2, 271/c; No. 3, 27c; No 2 white, 281/2@28%c; track Western mixed, 271/2@29c; track white, 281/2@281/4c; No 3 white, 28c. Options slow and nominal. Cut meats quiet. Pickled shoulders, \$6.50@6.75; pickled hams, \$10.50@11. Lard firm. Western steamed, \$7.35; refined firm: continent \$7.50; S. A. \$8; compound, \$6.50 @6.621/2. Pork dull; mess, \$12@12.75. Tallow dull; city, 4%c, nominal; country, 4%@5%c. Cottonseed oil steadier. Prime crude, 3414; prime yellow, 38c. Coffee-Futures opened steady with prices unchanged to 5 points higher here, on cov-

ering by shorts for profits and a friendly average to cables from Europe. Investment bull speculation, however, was restrained by a large Brazilian market and slack spot demand. Trading was very quiet throughout the session with little further change in prices. The close was quiet at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points. Total sales, 67,570 bags, including: August, 6.55c; September, 6.60c; October, 6.70c; December, 6.95c. Spot Rio iregular. No 7 invoice, 71/2c nominal.

Mild market, quiet and steady; Cordova, Sugar-Raw firm; refined steady. TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at St. Louis, Baltimore, Cincinnati and Other Places. ST. LOUIS, May 15.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 red, cash, 71c; May, 70c; July, 66½-66%c; September, 67½c; No. 2 hard, 64064½c. Corn—No. 2, cash, 25½c; May, 36c; May, 36c; July, 35½c. Oats—No. 2, cash, 23½c; May, 23½c; July, 22c; No. 2 white, 26½-627c. Pork steady; jobbing, 312. Lard higher; prime steam, \$6.80; choice, 36.85. Dry-salt meats—Boxed firm; extra shorts, \$6.87½; clear ribs, \$7; clear sides, \$7.12½. Bacon—Boxed firm; extra shorts, \$7.37½; clear ribs, \$7; clear sides, \$7.37½; clear ribs, \$7; clear sides, \$7.37½; clear ribs, \$7.50c; clear sides, \$7.62½. Timothy seed steady at \$1.26. Iron cotton ties, \$1.30. Bagging higher at 7½-68%c. Hemp

twine, 9c. Receipts-Flour, 2,000 brls; wheat, 20,000 bu; corn, 26,000 bu; oats, 41,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 7,000 brls; wheat, 9,000 bu; corn, BALTIMORE, May 15.—Flour quiet; receipts, 9,034 bris; exports, 294 bris. Wheat steady; spot and May, 70½@70½c; July, 70½@70½c; August, 70½c asked; steamer No. 2 red, 65@65½c; receipts, 4.724 bu; exports none; Southern wheat, by sample, 60@72c; Southern wheat, on grade, 67@71c. Corn steady at decline; spot and May, 40%@41c; June, 41@41%c; July, 41%@41%c; steamer mixed, 39%@40c; receipts, 166,743 bu; exports, 173,400 bu; Southern white corn, 42%@ Kc; Southern yellow corn, 42@42%c. Oats easier; No. 2 white, 29%@30c; No. 2 mixed, 27@27%c. Hay steady; No. 1 timothy, \$17. LIVERPOOL, May 15.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 California, 6s 3d@6s 3½d; No. 1 Northern spring, 5s 10d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 4s. Beef—Extra India mess dull at 80s; prime mess dull at 73s 9d. Lard—American refined, in pails, steady at 37s 3d; prime Western, in tiercos steady at 37s 3d; prime Western, in tierces, steady at 35s 6d. Bacon-Cumberland cut firm at 42s 6d; clear bellies firm at 39s 6d; shoulders, square, firm at 35s 6d. TOLEDO, May 15.—Wheat dull and higher; No. 2, cash, 734c; May, 734c. Corn dull and unchanged; No. 2, cash, 39c. Oats weak and lower; No. 2, cash, 234c. Rye dull and unchanged; No. 2, cash, 564c. Clover seed dull and lower; cash, prime, old. \$4.70; prime, new, \$5; October, \$5.024; No. 2, \$4.30. CINCINNATI, May 15.—Flour dull. Wheat quiet; No. 2 red, 72½c. Corn easy; No. 2 mixed, 40@40½c. Oats dull; No. 2 mixed, 25½@26c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 60c. Lard firm at \$6.85. Bulk meats steady at \$6.80. Bacon quiet at \$7.85. Whisky steady at \$1.25.

SAVANNAH, May 15 .- Spirits of turpentin firm at 4814c. Rosin firm. Quote: A. B. C. D. \$1.10@1.15; E. \$1.20; F. \$1.20@1.25; G. \$1.65; H. \$1.50; I. \$1.55; K. \$1.75; M. \$2; N. \$2.15; window glass, \$2.25; water white, \$2.40. CHARLESTON, May 15.—Spirits of turpentine steady. Rosin quiet. Quote: B, C, D, \$1.05; E, \$1.15; F, \$1.20; H, \$1.40; I, \$1.45; K, \$1.60; M, \$1.80; N, \$2; window glass, \$2.10; water white, OIL CITY, May 15.—Credit balances, \$1.40. Certificates—no bid. Shipments, 131,302 brls; average, 91,464 brls; runs, 110,689 brls; average,

WILMINGTON, May 15.—Spirits of turpentine steady at 47@4714c. Rosin—nothing doing. Crude turpentine steady at \$1.85 to \$2.90. Tar steady at NEW YORK, May 15.—Petroleum easy. Rosin steady; strained, common to good, \$1.55. Spirits of turpentine steadier at 51@51½c. MONTPELIER, May 15.—Indiana and South Lima crude petroleum, \$1.03; North Lima, \$1.08.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese. NEW YORK, May 15 .- Butter steady; fancy Western creamery, 21c; fancy Western prints, 23c. Eggs dull and ½c lower; fresh near-by, 12½c; fresh Western, 12½c; fresh Southwestern, 12c; fresh Southern, 11c. Cheese—Old firmer; new easier; old New York full cream, fancy, small, 11½@11½c; old New York full cream, good to choice, 10½@11c; New York full cream, fancy, 10@10½c; New York new full cream, good to choice, 9½@9%c.

CHICAGO, May 15 .- On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was steady; creameries, 141/2019c; dairies, 13/0161/2c. Cheese dull at Eggs steady; fresh, 10%@11c. CINCINNATI, May 15.—Butter unchanged; Elgin creamery, 21½c; Ohio, 17@18c; dairy, 13½c. Eggs easier and lower at 10½c. Cheese steady. KANSAS CITY, May 15.—Eggs weak; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, 10c, cases returned; BALTIMORE, May 15.—Butter and eggs firm and unchanged. Cheese steady and unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, May 15 .- Eggs steady at 10c.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The market for metals continues generally weak. Trading, however, was not very active, as buyers refused to take hold even at the concessions. Tin ruled rather easier, owing to large receipts and in sympathy with London advices, closing easy at 28.35@28.50c. Pig iron warrants were weak and nominally quoted at \$15. Northern No. 1 foundry was nominally unchanged at \$21@22, but very weak at that. Lake copper continues dull at 16.87½c. Lead and spelter were unsettled, but not quotably lower closing dull at \$27.000. bly lower, closing dull at 3.971/2@4.021/2c and 4.50@ spite of the corn weakness. Two 4.55c, respectively. The brokers' price for lead added thousand bu of cash oats was 3.80c and for copper 16.75c. ST. LOUIS, May 15 .- Lead lower at 3.95c. Spel-

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, May 15 .- Good inquiries in the market again to-day for brown cottons for ex-port to China and fair sales said to have been made, but at comparatively low prices. The demand on home account has run decidely light again in all descriptions, and prices are without quotable change. Print cloths have been inactive and featureless. No sales of any moment are reported. Prints dull. Ginghams quiet. Silks in limited demand and prices irregular.

Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, May 15.-Cotton steady. Sales, 3,150 bales. Ordinary, 8c; good ordinary, 84c; low middling, 815-16c; middling, 94c; good middling, 97-16c; middling fair, 911-16c. Receipts, 1,596 bales; stock, 141,811 bales. NEW YORK, May 15.—Cotton closed quiet; niddling uplands, 9 3-16c; middling guif, 10 1-16c. sales, 300 bales.

VITAL STATISTICS-MAY 15.

John and Fannie Howard, 406 East Tenth John and Anna Fleming, 512 South West street, boy. Charles and Cuba Burrows, Fletcher ave-Condon and Martha Forbs, 625 Huron R. A. and - Tarkington, 617 Maxwell Scott L. and Cora Gehring, 823 North East street, boy. William H. and Schvilda Bittner, 518 West Wilkins street, boy. Ed and Lizzie Jamison, 321 McCauley street, boy.

Deaths.

Oscar O. Carvin, thirty years, 613 East North street, cerebral hemorrhage. Mabel A. Dill, ten months, 832 Warren avenue, tubercular meningitis. Gertrude Cassity, two months, 807 West New York street, inanition. Charles W. Kleppe, sixty-two years, 510 South Delaware street, chronic hepititis. Charles Workman, twenty-four years, 128 Bloomington street, typhoid fever. Elkanah Burroughs, eighty-two years, Massachusetts avenue and North street, Edward Rugenstein, twenty days, 1216 Robert P. Pitty, seventy-four years, Alice Lee, forty-three years, 1617 Nowland avenue, chronic bronchitis.

Marriage Licenses. Emil J. Yansky and Minnie Fuguay.

Abraham Loeb and Lizzie N. Fohl. Jesse Dunham and Lula Oliphant. George Geissel and Lydia Wagner. William Rogers and Celia Garvey. Joseph Klaiber and Marie Kaesberg. John Rounds and Mollie Wilkins. Building Permits.

C. W. Youngerman, 1520 Reisner street, kitchen, \$9 E. A. Whitlock, Cornell avenue and New York street, frame dwelling, \$75. E. A. Whitlock, 305 Elder avenue, dwelling. \$300. H. Christian, 712 Tremont avenue, addi-

J. S. Cruse, agent, 2004 North Capitol avenue, repairs, \$700. Ezra McConnell, 2208 and 2210 East Washington street, repairs, \$100. C. Emerich, 1333 Bismarck avenue, shed

Mary Mohlenbrock, 1530 Ringgold street, Jacob C. Oliger, 114 Dickson street, re-

Weekly Crop Bulletin.

The weekly crop bulletin issued by Observer Wappenhans for the week ending May 15 says: "Good rains at the beginning of the week most everywhere were beneficial to growing crops, but delayed plowing and corn planting. Light and heavy white frost caused apparently no injury except in a few localities where it seems that garden | Western lambs, \$6@7.40. truck, beans, peas, tomato plants and NEW YORK, May 15.—Beeves-Receipts, 417, young corn were injured. Hall fell in a all consigned direct. No trade; feeling steady. few localities in the southern portion, do-ing some injury. Most corn is planted and coming up well. Oats, wheat, rye, barley, potatoes, timothy and grasses are growing well. Wheat, rye and barley in the southern portion began to head in many fields. The hessian fly is injuring some wheat. Potato fields are being cultivated, but bugs are appearing in localities. Tobacco plant beds are in very good condition. Much barley has been sown in localities. Fruit is promising well in all orchards. Meadows and pasturage are improved and live stock is in good condition."

Failure of Chemists.

BOSTON, Mass., May 15.—Billings, Clapp & Co., manufacturing chemists, made an assignment to-day to William F. Bacon pigs, \$5.30@5.40; roughs, \$4.80@5.15; stags, \$3.75@ assignment to-day to William F. Bacon and Wallace Wales. The liabilities are placed at \$104,000, with assets of all kinds

CATTLE IN ACTIVE DEMAND A' ABOUT PREVIOUS PRICES.

Hogs in Good Request and Five Cent Higher-Sheep Steady-Condition of Markets Elsewhere.

UNION STOCKYARDS, INDIANAPOLIS. May 15 .- Cattle-Receipts, 500; shipments, none. The receipts of cattle were about as large as the average at this time in the week, and a few choice kinds were represented, but none in the export steer line good enough to command extreme prices. There were several loads of good butcher steers, and notwithstanding there was little or no inquiry from outside sources local killers from the start were rather prompt bidders and the supply soon changed hands at steady prices compared with the close of last week. Steers sold as high at \$5.40, heifers at \$5, cows at \$4.50, and bulls at \$4.40. The calf market was anywhere from 25@50c lower, the top being practically \$6.50, but a few sales were reported at \$6.75@7.25.

Good to prime steers, 1,350 lbs and upwards \$5.25@ 5.70 Fair to medium steers, 1,350 lbs Good to choice 1,150 to 1,300-lb steers Fair to medium 1,150 to 1,300-lb Medium to good 900 to 1,100-lb Good to choice heifers Fair to medium heifers Common light heifers Good to choice cows Fair to medium cows Veal calves Heavy calves Prime to fancy export bulls...... 3.50@ 5.00 Good to choice butcher bulls..... Common to fair bulls..... Good to choice cows and calves.. 35.00@50.00 Common to medium cows and

calves 15.00@30.00 Hogs-Receipts, 5,500; shipments, 2,000. The hog market opened with a good de mand from nearly all buyers and soon, with active competition, the offerings were changing hands promptly and a good clearance was made in good season at fully 5c higher prices than yesterday's average. There were no sales reported below \$5.121/2. and one lot of 225-lb sold at \$5.45. Quota-

Good to choice medium and heavy.\$5.35@5.45 Mixed and heavy packing 5.25@5.35 Good to choice light weights...... 5.25@5.35 Common to fair light weights..... 5.10@5.22 Roughs 4.35@5.00

Sheep-Receipts, 250; shipments, fair. There was a nice improvement in the receipts of sheep and lambs, and the supply changed hands to local buyers at about steady prices compared with those current at the close of last week for all clipped stock. There is a gradual reduction in prices of spring lambs as the season advances, and sales to-day were possibly 50c lower than the close of last week. Clipped yearlings sold as high as \$5.75, other sales were as low as \$5.25, and spring lambs sold at \$7@8.75. Quotations:

Spring lambs\$6.00@8.75 Good to choice lambs 5.50@6.25 Common to medium lambs 4.50@5.25 Good to choice yearlings..... 5.00@5.50

Transactions at the Interstate Yards INTERSTATE STOCKYARDS, INDIAN APOLIS, May 15.-Cattle-Receipts, 60; shipments none. The quality was fair, consisting mostly of light steers and light butcher grades. The market opened quiet at steady prices. Trade ruled fairly active and closed steady. Quotations:

Fair to medium export steers, 1,350 to 1,520 lbs average.......\$5.25@ 5. Fair to medium export steers, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs average....... 5.00@ 5.25 Good to prime butcher steers, 1,100 to 1,250 lbs average....... 4.60@ 5.00 Fair to good feeders, 900 to 1,000 lbs average 4.40@ Common to fancy export cows.... 4.25@ 4.60 Fair to good cows...... 3.50@ 4.00 Canners and common cows...... 2.25@ 3.25 Good to choice light veals..... 5.50@ 6.25

Heavy veals, common to good..... 4.25@ 5.00
Bulls, good to choice fat........ 2.75@ 3.50
Bulls, common to fair.......... 2.75@ 3.50
Good to choice cows and calves...35.00@50.00 Common to medium cows and calves20.00@30.00 Hogs-Receipts, 2,500; shipments, 2,200. The quality of the offerings was generally fair, the supply being mostly light and mixed grades. The market opened active and fully 5 cents higher. Trading commencel early and continued quite lively throughout the day. The bulk of sales of light and mixed was made at from \$5.20 to \$5.30; heavies, \$5.35@5.45. Boston packers Runnels was also appointed a member of

closing was firm, with all sold. Quota- tions, to succeed S. P. Sheerin, who retions: Good to choice medium and heavy.\$5.35@5.45 Mixed and heavy packing...... 5.25@5.30 Good to choice lights...... 5.20@5.30 Fair to good lights...... 5.10@5.20 Common to fair pigs...... 4.00@4.90 Heavy roughs 4.00@4.90 Sheep-Receipts none; shipments none. The market was very quiet on account of insufficient receipts to interest buyers to any extent. The closing was steady. Quo-

tations: Spring lambs\$6.00@7.50 Good to choice clipped yearlings... 4.50@5.00 Good to choice clipped sheep...... 4.35@4.75 Common to medium clipped yearlings 4.00@4.35

Common to good clipped sheep..... 3.50@4.35 Bucks, per head...... 2.00@4.00

Elsewhere.

Hogs—Receipts to-day, 17,000; to-morrow, 25,000; estimated left over, 2,000. Market steady to strong. Top, \$5.50; mixed and butchers, \$5.15@5.45; good to choice heavy, \$5.35@5.50; rough heavy, \$5.15@5.25; light, \$5.10@5.40; bulk of sales, \$5.30@5.40. Sheep strong; lambs steady to slow. Receipts none. Good to choice wethers, \$5.25@5.60; fair to choice mixed, \$4.75@5.40; Western sheep, \$5.35

@5.60; yearlings, \$5.60@6; native lambs, \$5@7.40; Cables firm; state cattle at London, 1214@1314c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, loc per lb. Exports to-day none; to-morrow, 150 cattle and 6,353 quarters of beef. sale. Sheep and lambs firm; spring lambs lower; 1 car unsold. Fair to prime sheep, \$5@ 5.37½; prime to choice lambs, \$7.25@7.35; Southern spring lambs, \$8.50; state lambs, \$4 per Hogs-Receipts, 2,362; none for sale alive, Mar EAST BUFFALO, May 15.-[Special.]-Ran-som, Mansfield & Co., live stock commission Receipts, 30 cars. No sale; feeling steady. Veals steady at \$5@7.

4.19. Closed steady.

Sheep—Receipts. 4 cars. Market steady to strong. Choice state lambs, \$6.90@7; culls to good, \$5@6.85. No sheep here; quotable at \$2@5.50; culls to good mixed wethers, \$5.50@5.75; Two loads of late arrivals held over. Two loads of late arrivals held over.

KANSAS CITY, May 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,300 natives and 100 Texans. Best slaughtering and feeding grades steady; heavy rough 10c lower. Native steers, \$4.60@5.70; stockers and feeders, \$4.65.55; butchers' cows and helfers, \$3.40@4.15; canners, \$2.75@3.40; fed Westerns, \$4.35@4.90; Texans, \$4.15@4.65.

Hogs—Receipts, 14.600. Market steady; few choice lots, 5c higher. Heavy, \$5.20@5.30; mixed. \$5.10@5.20; light, \$5@5.12½; pigs, \$4.85@4.95.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,300. Trade active and strong. Spring lambs, \$7@7.50; Colorado wool

lambs, \$6.70@7; clipped lambs, \$5.75@6.15; clipped muttons, \$4.25@5; stockers, \$4@5.50; culls, \$3.50@4. ST. LOUIS, May 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 4.900, including 1,800 Texans. Market steady. Native shipping and export steers, \$4.6005.75; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4.2505.15; steers under 1,000 ibs, \$3.7504.75; stockers and feeders, \$3004.85; cows and heifers, \$204.85; canners, \$1.5009.

2.85; bulls, \$3.5004; Texas and Indian steers, \$4.1505.25; cows and heifers, \$304.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,700. Market weak after a strong opening. Pigs and lights, \$5.1505.25; opening. Pigs and lights, \$5.15@5.2 s, \$5.15@5.30; butchers, \$5.25@5.50. Sheep-Receipts, 3,000. Market steady. Native muttons. \$5@5.25; culls and bucks, \$3.75@5; stock-

CINCINNATI, May 15.-Hogs active at \$4.256 Sheep steady at \$3.25@4.75. Lambs steady at

GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION

General Observance of Memoria Day Is Requested.

Governor Mount yesterday issued the following proclamation with regard to the observance of Memorial day:

to the patriotism of the American peop

"Each recurring 30th day of May appeals

It recalls the scenes of war, with all the terrible sacrifice and suffering incident thereto. It is a day to be devoted to the nemory of our silent brave. By established custom, by statutory law and by orders of the commanders of the Grand Army of the Republic this day has become sacred to the memory of our patriot dead. "Therefore I, James A. Mount, Governor of Indiana, do proclaim Wednesday, May 30, 1900, Memorial day and urgently request all of the people of the State to appropriately observe the occasion. It is earnestly requested that on this day while memorial services are being held and the graves of dead comrades are being decorated business be suspended and the time be not desecrated by frivolous amusement but rather dedicated to a sacred service. Let the choicest flowers be gathered and wreathed into garlands and strewn upon the graves of our honored dead in token of loving remembrance of their heroic service. Plant the flag they defended on their graves. These tributes will not benefit our silent heroes, but they will teach lessons of patriotism to the living. The safety of the country for which our sol-diers fought and for which they died is in the patriotism of the people. While we pay a tribute of devotion to the dead let us honor the living comrades as well. 2.50@ 3.15 In memory of those who fought and those who fell, those who gave much and those

who gave all let the day be observed. "'While fragrant fingered, flowery May Extends her hand to welcome June, We come with mournful tread to-day To claim the ever precious boon

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Of offering on each hallowed grave

Our love in tribute to the brave."

Frank A. Sellers Charged with Violating Postal Laws.

Frank A. Sellers, a young man living at Sellersburg, Ind., was placed in jail here Common to good pigs...... 4.00@4.90 | last night on a United States grand jury capias, charging a violation of the postal laws. He was brought from Evansville on a stretcher, being subject to fits, which a physician said were more fancied than real. Deputy United States Marshal Fate and an assistant said they had been two days on the road.

Conducted His Own Defense.

Judge John H. Baker opened the May term of the United States District Court yesterday morning. The first case set for trial was that of Harry McKnight, a law student of Oakland City. McKnight is charged with impersonation of a United States deputy marshal and he conducted his own defense, much to the amusement of court and spectators. The case was given to the jury late in the afternoon. The offense for which McKnight was tried consisted of the alleged writing of a letter, purporting to be signed by Assistant United States Attorney LaFollette, appointing himself a deputy United States marshal. With this letter showing authority it was claimed he attempted to collect money owing to him by threats of arrest.

Yesterday's Fire Losses. Fire from an unknown cause yesterday afternoon damaged a stable in the rear of 2117 Madison avenue to the extent of \$75. Frank Otterman was the owner and occupant. The fire spread to a shed in the rear

of 2110 Webb street and caused a loss of A still alarm last night called the fire department to Brightwood. A Big Four boxcar caught fire in an unknown manner. The loss was about \$10. About midnight a barn owned by George Warner, 934 North California street, was camaged by fire to the extent of \$200. The fire spread to the house, where a loss of \$100 resulted. The barn occupied by H. South, 931 Camp street also suffered damage to the extent of \$50. The fire was suppesed to be of incendiary origin.

Commercial Club's New Loan. The directors of the Commercial Club

yesterday negotiated a loan of \$115,000 at 4 per cent., to refund the \$120,000 indebtedness of the club. The new loan was made from the Berkshire Life Insurance Company, through their agent, C. E. Coffin, who is also president of the club. Judge Allen's Appointments. William Pollard and Thomas Madden

CLARK RESIGNS.

Review yesterday by Judge Allen. Alice

paid \$5.42% for hogs of 192 lbs average. The | the Board of County Charities and Correc-

(CONCLUDED FROM FIRST PAGE.) have this day appointed you to fill the vacancy in Montana's representation in the Senate of the United States. I send you certificate by registered mail. I trust you will accept the appointment." This was signed A. E. Spriggs, Acting Governor. The senator also received the following telegram from his son: "Governor

Spriggs to-day appointed you as senator. Congratulations." Senator Clark accepted the appointment in the following reply to Governor

"Dear Governor-I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your very complimentary message informing me of my appointment to fill the vacancy in the CHICAGO, May 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000.
Steers steady; butchers' stock active and firm.
Natives: Best on sale to-day one carload at \$5.25; good to prime steers, \$5@5.75; poor to medium, \$4.25@4.80; selected feeders, \$4.25@5; mixed stockers, \$3.75@4; cows, \$3@4.60; heifers, \$3.25@5.10; canners, \$2.40@3; bulls steady at \$2.80@4.25; calves, \$4@6.50; Texas fed steers, \$4@5.25; Texas bulls, \$3.25@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts to-day, 17.000; to-morrow. United States Senate, caused by my res-

Governor Smith Hurrying Home.

GRASS VALLEY, 'Cal., May 15 .- Governor Smith, of Montana, left here this afternoon for Montana via Salt Lake, taking the east-bound train at Colfax. His departure was unexpected and was hastened by news of Senator Clark's resignation and his appointment by Lieutenant Governor Spriggs. Governor Smith left before the news of Senator Clark's resignation was made public here, and no ex-pression could be secured from him.

SCRANTON, Pa., May 15 .- A quarrel between children this morning at Dunmore was followed by Mrs. Mary Pace, mother of one of the children, making a furious attack on Mrs. Sylvester Bellows, mother of the other child, with a butcher knife. Mrs. Pace repeatedly slashed her with the weapon and inflicted a number of wounds. One of the knife thrusts made a cut four inches long in the woman's breast, and may result fatally. Mrs. Pace escaped.

One Mother Tries to Kill Another.

PHYSICIANS.

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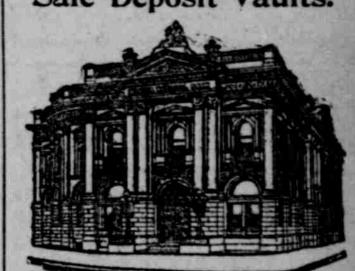
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